

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 59th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

Call to Order: By **CHAIRMAN SCOTT MENDENHALL**, on April 8, 2005 at 3:20 P.M., in Room 172 Capitol.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Scott Mendenhall, Chairman (R)
Rep. Jill Cohenour, Vice Chairman (D)
Rep. Bernie Olson, Vice Chairman (R)
Rep. Elsie Arntzen (R)
Rep. John Balyeat (R)
Rep. George Golie (D)
Rep. Jim Keane (D)
Rep. Gary MacLaren (R)
Rep. Bruce Malcolm (R)

Members Excused:

Rep. Bob Bergren (D)
Rep. Larry Jent (D)
Rep. Monica Lindeen (D)

Members Absent: None.

Staff Present: Kyanne Kelly, Committee Secretary
Leanne Kurtz, Legislative Branch

Audio Committees: These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted: SB 518, 4/5/2005
Executive Action: SB 518

HEARING ON SB 518

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

SEN. JIM ELLIOTT (D), SD 7, opened the hearing on **SB 518**, Allow annual or biennial registration of boats, snowmobiles, motorcycles.

00:00:35 _____

Proponents' Testimony:

00:04:57 Rhonda Carpenter Wiggers, County Treasurers Association

00:07:20 Bob Gilbert, Walleyes Unlimited

Opponents' Testimony: None

Informational Testimony: None

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:08:40

Closing by Sponsor:

00:15:33

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 518

Motion: REP. OLSON moved that SB 518 BE CONCURRED IN.

Discussion:

00:17:10

Substitute Motion/Vote: REP. KEANE made a substitute motion that SB 518 BE TABLED. Substitute motion carried 8-4 by voice vote with REP. BERGREN, REP. COHENOUR, REP. GOLIE, and REP. LINDEEN voting no. REPS. BERGREN, JENT and LINDEEN voted by proxy.

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 3:40 P.M.

REP. SCOTT MENDENHALL, Chairman

KYANNE KELLY, Secretary

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Additional Exhibits:

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